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Dear Sir:

RE: U.S. Patent Application No. 10/015,575
Applicant: Gary Puppa, et al.
For: System and Method for Transmission of Operations, Administration and
Maintenance Packets Between ATM and Switching Networks
Upon Failures
Our File: 198821-339661

Please find attached the following documents:

1. Transmittal Form (1 sheet);
2. Power of Attorney (1 sheet); and,
3. Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) for Power of Attorney (1 sheet).

Yours very truly,
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Per:

Joseph Conneely
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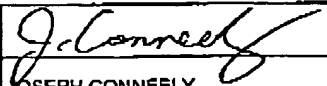
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	First Named Inventor	GARY J. PUPPA
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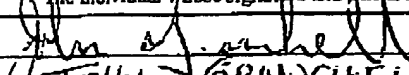
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SIGNATURE of Assignee of Record

The individual whose signature and title is supplied below is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee

Signature		Date	APR 18/06
Name	JOHN J. GRANCHELLI	Telephone	(613) 784-1523
Title	SITE MANAGER, INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY		

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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Applicant/Patent Owner: ALCATEL CANADA INC.Application No./Patent No./Control No.: 10/015 575Filed/Issue Date: DECEMBER 17, 2001Entitled: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR TRANSMISSION OF OPERATIONS, ADMINISTRATION AND MAINTENANCE PACKETS
BETWEEN ATM AND SWITCHING NETWORKS UPON FAILURESALCATEL CANADA INC.a CORPORATION

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

J. Conneely
Signature

MAY 2, 2006

Date

JOSEPH CONNEELY416-601-8179

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